MINUTES

of the

Forty-seventh Annual Convention

of the

Women's Missionary Society

of the

Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Nebraska

of the

United Lutheran Church in America

Held in Grace Lutheran Church, West Point, Nebraska

September 27, 28 and 29, 1927

REV. W. A. KLINK, Pastor

DIRECTORY, 1927-1928

Synodical Motto: "Pray and Serve."

OFFICERS.

President—Mrs. K. de Freese, 2429 Mary St., Omaha, Nebraska.
Vice President—Mrs. L. A. Hornburg, 1742 S. 27th St., Omaha, Neb.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. F. Nelson, 2701 N. 48th Ave., Omaha.
Statistical Secretary—Mrs. E. E. Shimonek, Wilber, Nebraska.
Treasurer—Mrs. Geo. H. Haase, Emerson, Nebraska.

DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES.

Mission Study—Mrs. Loy Ebright, North Platte, Nebraska.
Thank Offering—Mrs. D. M. Neiswanger, Dakota City, Nebraska.
Annuity—Mrs. M. D. Willert, Tekamah, Nebraska.
Industrial—Mrs. H. C. Heckt, Hooper, Nebraska.
Box Work—Mrs. John Lindahl, Allen, Nebraska.
Light Brigade—Mrs. Ralph Rangeler, 3935 Randolph St., Lincoln, Neb.
Deaconess—Miss Virginia Lee Patterson, Fremont, Nebraska.
Immigrant-Student—Miss Dorothea Mortensen, Immanuel Hospital, Omaha, Nebraska.
Literature—Miss Suda Wood, Tekamah, Nebraska.
Magazine—Mrs. E. A. Van Fleet, 316 S. 54th St., Omaha, Nebraska.
Young Women—Mrs. Albert Swerdtfeger, Helen Apts., Omaha, Neb.
Extension—Mrs. L. J. Skocpol, Wilber, Nebraska.
Standard of Excellence—Mrs. Carl Slagel, Davenport, Nebraska.
Life and In Memoriam—Mrs. N. L. Hansen, Emerson, Nebraska.

CONFERENCE PRESIDENTS.

Northeast—Mrs. C. P. Karriker, Ponca.
Omaha—Mrs. R. F. Bowers, 2205 Monroe Street, Omaha.
Southeast—Mrs. John Petring, Nebraska City.
Central—Miss Mamie Adams, Walboch.
Lincoln—Mrs. E. P. Mumford, 1000 Elk St., Beatrice.
Fremont—Mrs. H. C. Heckt, Hooper.
Western—Mrs. F. E. Wood, North Platte.

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE.

Mrs. G. E. Hickman Mrs. C. H. B. Lewis

DELEGATES.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY

Women's Societies.

Allen	Mrs. E. H. Allen
Auburn	Rev. A. O. Frank
Beatrice	Mrs. E. P. Mumford
Dakota City (Immanuel)	Mrs. D. M. Neiswanger
Dakota City (Salem)	Mrs. W. H. Saas, Mrs. W. W. Caughtry
Davenport	Miss Grace Lambert
Emerson	Mrs. Geo. Lamp, Mrs. F. E. Stewart
Fremont	Mrs. Christian Sick, Mrs. C. H. B. Lewis
Grand Island	Mrs. Gus Neuman, Mrs. Strattman
Hooper	Mrs. A. E. Hecker, Mrs. Wm. Bucholz
Lincoln	Miss Florence Petring
Nebraska City	Mrs. Fred C. Weigman
North Platte	Mrs. T. V. Austin, Mrs. L. E. Ebright
Omaha (Grace)	Mrs. G. E. Hickman
Omaha (Kountze)	Mrs. V. R. Huffman, Mrs. Claude DeWald
Omaha (St. Mark's)	Mrs. Otto Nelson, Mrs. Eva Anderson
Omaha (St. Luke's)	Mrs. Henry Grimm, Mrs. J. G. Jacobson
Omaha (Redeemer)	Mrs. O. E. Shellberg, Mrs. Geo. Bowyer
Ponca	Mrs. Harry Matteson
Rising City	Mrs. O. A. Wickert, Mrs. P. C. Hillegas
Stella	Mrs. A. B. Schwerdtfeger
South Sioux City	Mrs. S. A. Bridenbaugh, Mrs. Kvan
Tekamah	Mrs. M. D. Willert
Verdon	Mrs. Walter Schulze
West Point	Mrs. I. L. Thompson
Wilber	Mrs. L. J. Skocpol

YOUNG WOMEN'S SOCIETY

Young Women.

Emerson	Miss Fern Bonderson
Fremont (East Hall)	Miss Elva Toops
Fremont (Salem)	Miss Virginia Lee Patterson
Omaha (Kountze)	Mrs. Helen Tell
Omaha (St. Luke's)	Mrs. A. C. Zimmat
Omaha (St. Mark's)	Mrs. C. F. Patton
Ponca	Miss Edna Conrad
Verdon	Miss Irene Jorn

LIGHT BRIGADES

Light Brigade.

Allen	Mrs. John Lindahl
Emerson	Mrs. Ralph Rangeler
Fremont	Mrs. H. F. Martin
Hooper	Mrs. R. W. Livers
Lincoln (Grace)	Mrs. A. Walla
North Platte	Mrs. A. T. Yost
Omaha (Kountze)	Mrs. V. R. Huffman
Omaha (St. Luke's)	Mrs. H. G. Gamerl
Rising City	Mrs. John Gleisberg
Tekamah	Mrs. John Frew
West Point	Mrs. August Schmidt
Wilber	Mrs. Joseph Vrbsky

The Forty-seventh Annual Convention of the Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Nebraska met in session at the Grace Lutheran Church, West Point, Nebraska, Sept. 27, 1927, at 11 o'clock. Devotional service was led by Mrs. Loy Ebright of North Platte, using Convention motto "Pray and Serve."

Registration committee reported forty-five registered; program presented; formal opening of Convention by President.

Motion carried to adopt the program with the following change: that the "Workers Conference" and the "meeting time for Convention Committees be reversed.

Greetings by letter from Katherine F. Morehead, General President, and Mrs. Louise K. Krechting, General Magazine Secretary. Greetings to Convention, Mrs. Ida King, West Point. Response, Mrs. W. I. Guss, Omaha. Greetings from Midland Assembly, Rev. O. A. Frank, Auburn. Greetings from Midland College, Dr. H. F. Martin. Introduction to Convention of Rev. Thomas Rinde.

Benediction, Rev. O. A. Frank.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, AFTERNOON SESSION

Afternoon Session opened with the Communion Service conducted by Rev. O. A. Frank and Rev. Thomas Rinde.

Reception of delegates from new organizations.

Motion carried that order of Industrial work and Midland Assembly be reversed. Report on Midland Assembly, Mrs. Geo. H. Haase, Emerson.

Final report of Mountain Mission, Mrs. L. A. Hornburg. Motion carried these two reports be received and referred to proper committee.

Industrial Work, Mrs. H. C. Heckt, Hooper.

President's address, theme, "The Marys and Marthas of the World."

Literature demonstration, Miss Suda Wood, and Mrs. John Frew, Tekamah.

Magazine sketch, Mrs. E. A. Van Fleet. Surprise "Magazine Shower" on Mrs. E. A. Van Fleet and Mrs. L. A. Hornburg, 54 new subscriptions reported. (Later official report shows 61 new subscriptions.) Motion carried that the secretary be instructed to write Mrs. Louise K. Krechting about our "Surprise Magazine Shower."

Workers' Conference, conducted by the President.

Prayer, Rev. Thomas Rinde.

EVENING SESSION, SEPTEMBER 27, 1927

Liturgical Service conducted in Telugu by Rev. and Mrs. James Raun, Rev. and Mrs. Albert Schwerdtfeger and Miss Selma Anderson. Then followed "A Night in India" by the Nebraska Missionaries.

Offering, $14.22.

Benediction, Rev. James Raun.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

Wednesday Morning Session opened with devotions by Mrs. S. H. Bridenbaugh, South Sioux City. Theme, "Pray and Prayer."

Recommendations.

1. **That** we express our appreciation by prayer to our Heavenly Father for His mercies to us this past year. Crops have been greater than

for years, and may we increase our returns accordingly to Him who is responsible.

2. That we express our appreciation for the newly organized Societies, and for the new congregation in our Synod, and may we strive to impress on the women of that congregation their responsibility.

3. That all societies continue loyally in the way of the Cross for Home and Abroad.

4. That some method be devised whereby the Synodical Officers will visit societies in their immediate region for the inspiration for the work; give addresses or talks or in any way help to create a better understanding of Missionary Work—the Official Organization for Women in the United Lutheran Church.

5. That we realize that the goal of $500 was not reached this year in the Golden Jubilee Fund and strive not to only reach the goal this year, but make up the deficit of last.

6. That the Christmas offering for 1927 be used for Home Missionary Work.

7. That the Lenten Self Denial for 1928 be used for the Golden Jubilee Fund. This not to in any way relieve any society from its full obligation of contributing to the Fund, but to merely add to the amount of the Tenth Anniversary Fund.

8. That for the year 1928, the Annual Convention of the Nebraska Synodical Society be held at the same time and place as Midland Assembly, July 31-August 5.

9. That we increase our Lutheran Women's Work subscription until Nebraska reaches her goal — a subscription list equal to the active membership list, in celebration of the 21st Birthday of the Magazine in 1928. That Lutheran Women's Work parties be given in May.

10. That though the privilege has been granted us of raising our share of the Tenth Anniversary Fund through raising our Golden Jubilee Fund, but give as much as possible. This will help the General Fund and is very necessary for the advancement of the work.

11. That we observe the World Wide Day of Prayer, the first Friday in Lent, and also the Week of Prayer if possible.

12. That we have more public Thank offering meetings and special Christmas programs.

13. That this convention Work Box offering be assigned for purchasing supplies for the infirmary and guest rooms of the new Girl's Dormitory at Midland College.

14. That Congregational Societies install the newly elected officers.

15. That both Synodical and Congregational retiring officers and Department Secretaries give to new officers a record of work done and proper way of doing it.

16. That societies make a poster presenting work of the year for exhibition at convention.

17. That at this convention suitable resolutions of Dr. Anna Kugler be made, expressing our gratitude for her regained health, her loving service and return to her beloved India be sent as a steamer letter.

18. That we, as women, stress attendance of our young women at the Young Women's Congress held in connection with the 1928 General Convention in Johnstown, Pa.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. L. A. HORNBURG,
President.

Registration Committee reported eighty-seven present.

Roll Call.

Following reports were read and motion carried that they be received and referred to the proper committees; Executive committee, Mrs. E. F. Nelson, Secretary; Report of President, Mrs. L. A. Hornburg:

Report of Vice President, Mrs. K. de Freese; Report of Statistical Secretary, Mrs. E. E. Shimonek:

Report of Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. H. Haase:

REPORT OF STATISTICAL SECRETARY, 1926-1927
WOMEN'S SOCIETY

Name of Society	Statistical Secretary	MEMBERS: Active	MEMBERS: Honorary	MEMBERS: Total	Life Mem.: No. Given This Year	Life Mem.: Total No. Given by or Through Society	In Mem Mbs.: No. Given This Year	In Mem Mbs.: Total No. Through Soc	Ext. Dept.: No. Members	Ext. Dept.: Using E. D. Readings	Ext. Dept.: Becoming Active Mem	Mission Study: Class Org. This Year	Mission Study: Members in Classes	Mission Study: Reading Circles	Mission Study: Mem. Reading Circle	Mission Study: Members Honor Roll	De'cons: No. in Service	De'cons: No. Cand. in Training	Thank Offering: Congre. T. O. Sec'y	Thank Offering: Public Meetings Held	Thank Offering: Daily Thank Offering	Magazines: No. New Subs. Received During Yr.	Magazines: Total No. Subscription	Magazines: No. Subs. Luth. Boys and Girls	Estimated Value of Box Work: Home	Estimated Value of Box Work: Inner	Estimated Value of Box Work: Foreign	Estimated Value of Box Work: Total	Ann'ty: No. Bonds Taken Out	Patrons, Protegés: Bible Women Support	Patrons, Protegés: Scholarships Supported	Misc.: Meet Held Prayer Wk	Misc.: No. Pts. Attained Stand. of Excellence
Allen	Mrs. E. C. Wharton	21		21		7		3											1			2	18	30		$ 29.00		$ 29.00					
Auburn	Miss Elizabeth Snyder	13	1	14				1				2	18						1	1	14	12	12	25			6.75	6.75				1	
Beatrice	Mrs. M. A. Master	16		16		4			10	10				1	7				1	1	3		24			36.25		36.25					
Benedict Zion	Mrs. E. E. Cook	10		10				1											1	1			8									2	
Benedict, Bethel	Mrs. L. P. Loreman	14		14																1	14		8										
Benson	Mrs. C. H. Ramm, 6372 Pinkney	16	1	17	2	5		1				1	12						1	1		2	14	20	15.60			15.60					
Dakota City, Salem	Mrs. W. W. Coughtry	9	3	12	1	1																1	8		35.60	50.00		85.60					
Dakota City, Em	Mrs. E. H. Neiswanger	3	1	4		5		2											1		1		2	18		1.00		1.00				1	
Davenport	Mrs. Oscar L. Bower	16	2	18											1				1	1		3	16		65.00		6.40	71.40				1	
Emerson	Mrs. Geo. Lamf	42	2	44	13	31	1	4	20	8	1	1	16						1	1		5	45			45.00		45.00			1	1	1
Falls City	Mrs. Ernst Werner	39	1	40	1	1													1	1	21	2	17	33		30.60	5.00	35.60				1	1
Fremont	Mrs. W. F. Rangeler	31	16	50	1	8		3											1	1	15	6	39	30		62.60		62.60	1			5	1
Grand Island		36		36																													
Hardy	Mrs. E. C. Mortensen	16	2	18															1	1	6	3	16			92.30		92.30					
Hooper	Mrs. A. E. Hecker	17		17	4	6	1	1	8	3		1	18	1	6				1	1		2	18		5.00	26.00		31.00					1
Lincoln	Mrs. Cal Phillippe	21		21	2	16		2	25	25		1	12						1	1		4	15	100		25.00		25.00					1
Nebraska City	Amanda Rodenobrock	12	2	14		2		1	17										1	1	12		14	50	5.00			5.00		1			
North Platte	Mrs. F. E. Wood, 805 E. 3rd	31	1	32	2	8		1	8	8		2	14		8	8			1	3		7	34	40		37.00		37.00		1		1	1
Omaha, Kountze M	Mrs. R. P. White, 2700 Davenport	90		90	1	43		13	32		1	1	48						1	1		5	61		47.00	70.00	50.00	167.00		1			1
Omaha, St. Mark's	Mrs. E. Castberg, 2416 Fontenelle	42	5	47	5	34		5	9	9		1	14	1	10	10			1	1	42	2	42		24.50	103.50	30.40	158.40	1			1	1
Omaha, St. Luke's	Mrs. R. F. Bowers, 2205 Monroe	20		20		5		1	17	17		1	20	1	18	18			1	1	20	11	22	62	113.00	5.00	5.00	123.00					1
Omaha, Redeemer	Mrs. Fred Rohr, 3169 Larimore	40	7	47	2	13		2				1	14	1	12				1	1			25	60								1	
Omaha, Grace	Mrs. H. McNamara, 4412 Farnam	5		5																													
Paxton		10		10																													
Ponca	Mrs. Fred Miille	43	2	45	2	6						1	30						1	1	40		26									5	
Rising City	Mrs. L. J. Saylor	41	3	44	3	16	2	6				1	10						1	1		1	41	80		312.00		312.00		1	1	5	1
South Sioux City	Mrs. K. F. Rogosch, 315 E. Fred'ck	12	5	17					11														8										
Stamford		7		7																													
Tekamah	Mrs. J. C. Kjeldgaard	20	2	22	1	9	1	6	13			1	22	1	6	5			1	1	1	7	26	25	94.00			94.00				5	1
Wayne		14		14																													
West Point	Mrs. E. J. DeBell	16	2	18		3						1	16	1		2				1		4	15	65	5.00		40.00	45.00			5	
Wilber	Mrs. Joe Vrbsky	23		23		1			1			1	6			1			1	1	6		19			27.00		27.00				1	1
Verdon	Mrs. H. Gulliams	20	8	28	5	7									20	20			1	1	20		20										
Wolbach	Mrs. G. H. Holm	8		8		1		1														8	8	30									
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YOUNG WOMEN'S SOCIETY

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	General Fund	Synodical Fee Fund	Synodical Travel Fund	Biennial Convention Expense Fund	Bulletin Fund	Thank Offering	Christmas Offering	Life Members	In Memoriam	Mrs. Cronk Memoriams	India Lace Industry	Lenten Self Denial	Mountain Mission Special	Golden Jubilee Fund	Church Extension Home Mission and
Allen	$ 29.00	$ 3.60	$ 1.00	$ 3.00	.....	$ 10.00	$ 2.50	.....	$....	$.....	$.....	$ 2.00	$ 8.00	.....	$...
Auburn	16.00	2.00	1.00	1.20	.60	33.00	26.00	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	....
Beatrice	15.90	1.60	.50	1.50	.80	15.80	2.00	.....	....	1.00	1.50	.....	.....	2.00	....
Benedict (Bethel)	17.10	2.25	.75	1.50	.....	7.57	1.50	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	....
Benedict (Zion)	18.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	.....	30.75	2.25	.....	....	5.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	....
Dakota City [Emmanuel)	3.00	.20	.50	.20	.10	5.00	1.00	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	....
Dakota City (Salem)	9.30	1.00	1.00	.90	.....	29.37	1.50	10.00	.....	1.00	.....	1.50	.....	3.00	....
Davenport	21.00	2.50	1.00	1.00	.....	35.00	10.00	.....	.....	5.00	6.00	3.00	4.00	7.00	....
Emerson	55.20	4.65	2.00	5.00	2.35	108.00	56.00	130.00	.....	15.00	.....	5.00	.....	23.00	....
Falls City	36.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	5.00	10.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Fremont	51.30	2.65	1.70	2.20	....	86.80	23.15	10.00	.....	.....	.....	14.40	.....	8.00	....
Grand Island	46.20	4.45	1.95	3.90	.....	55.50	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Hampton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Hardy	21.70	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	20.92	4.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	....
Hooper	18.80	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	32.00	7.00	40.00	25.00	5.00	.....	6.00	.....	8.00	....
Lincoln (Grace)	36.30	3.00	1.00	3.00	.....	59.29	5.00	30.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Nebraska City	14.00	1.30	1.70	1.30	.....	62.14	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
North Platte	34.00	2.65	1.30	2.70	1.35	70.00	32.00	30.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	10.00	15.00	....
Oakland	8.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51.54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (Grace)	2.00	.30	.45	.30	.....	5.00	1.00	.....	.....	2.00	.....	1.50	.....	3.00	....
Omaha (Redeemer)	68.00	11.00	2.00	.....	.....	44.67	7.11	20.00	.....	.....	1.00	.....	10.00	12.00	3.00
Omaha, (First, Benson)	18.80	2.25	.75	1.50	.....	46.00	.....	10.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	10.00	7.50	....
Omaha (Kountze Memorial)	88.00	8.00	4.00	8.00	.....	198.00	14.00	10.00	.....	10.00	.....	10.00	50.00	9.00	....
Omaha (St. Luke's)	21.00	.....	1.00	2.00	.....	47.00	9.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....	8.00	.....	.....	....
Omaha (St. Mark's)	49.00	4.00	2.00	4.00	2.00	126.00	43.00	50.00	.....	15.00	5.00	.....	7.00	23.00	....
Paxton	2.80	.....	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Ponca	55.20	5.00	2.30	4.70	.....	43.20	10.90	20.00	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	21.00	....
Rising City	53.00	4.10	2.00	4.00	.....	133.00	13.00	30.00	25.00	25.00	.....	17.01	20.00	20.50	....
Stamford	8.40	.30	.70	.30	.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Stella	6.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	....	11.37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	....
South Sioux City	14.80	1.00	.40	.80	.....	31.11	3.15	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	2.00	.....	....
Tekamah	25.00	2.00	1.00	2.00	.....	30.00	10.00	10.00	.....	5.00	.....	10.00	.....	11.00	....

Stereopticon Refund	Convention Box Work	European Relief	Midland Assemebly	Scholarship Girl Chirla	Other Special Objects	Blowing Rock Chapel	Light Brigade Special	Honorary Members	Leper Fund	Africa	Scholarship Girl Africa	Ministerial Pension Fund	Midland College Dormitory	Tabitha Home	Teacher, Africa	West Indies Industry	Bible Women India	Gold Life Membership Pin	Miss Akard, Japan	Miss Miller's Salary India	Scholarship Girl India	Jessoe Brewer Memorial	Totals
$.....	$ 2.50	$..	$....	$....	$....	$..	$....	$....	$..	$....	$.....	$..	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$....	$....	$ 61.60
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Verdon	25.20	2.10	1.00	2.00	1.05	56.00	4.35	30.00	.....	.....	2.00	2.00	10.00	10.00	....
Wayne	16.60	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
West Point	21.70	2.00	1.00	2.00	.....	42.70	6.20	.....	.....	5.00	14.00	5.00	.....	6.00	....
Wilber	26.10	2.20	1.10	2.20	.....	52.00	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	10.50	....
Wolbach	6.60	.....	.60	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	....
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Offerings at Convention	.....	61.54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Registration Fees	.....	33.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Central District Conference Offerings	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Potter, First Lutheran Church	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Mrs. Weier, General Treasurer Refund	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Synodical Life Members	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Martha Harder, Life Membership	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Mrs. Sturtevant, Refund	.....	6.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Chas. W. Poole, Refund	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Fremont District Convention Offerings	.....	5.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Northeast District Convention Offerings	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha District Convention Offerings	.....	8.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Transfer of Funds	.....	23.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.00	104.50	3.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	960.25	179.59	41.30	67.60	9.65	1577.19	390.09	500.00	$65.00	$143.00	$ 34.50	$ 94.40	$172.00	$318.00	....
Balances Brought Forward	.97	25.88	43.50	.26	24.50	.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	27.80	.85	.....	5.00	....
Totals	961.22	205.47	84.80	67.86	34.15	1577.89	390.09	500.00	65.00	143.00	62.30	95.25	172.00	323.00	....
Disbursements	961.00	133.29	25.00	67.00	.....	1577.00	390.00	500.00	65.00	143.00	61.80	95.00	172.00	323.00	....
Balances	.22	72.18	59.80	.86	34.15	.89	.09	.....	.....	.....	.50	.25	.....	.....	....
YOUNG WOMEN'S SOCIETIES															
Emerson	16.20	1.50	1.00	1.00	.....	11.00	1.80	20.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Falls City	29.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00	4.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Fremont (East Hall)	42.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.95	3.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.25	.....	.....	....
Fremont (Salem)	24.20	2.00	2.00	3.00	.....	42.00	23.00	30.00	.....	.....	.....	27.00	.....	7.00	....
Hardy	3.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Lincoln (Grace)	2.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Lincoln (St. James)	6.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	6.00	.....	.....	....
Nrth Platte (Sanford Circle)	12.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.....	20.00	13.00	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	....
North Platte	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (Grace)	21.90	6.00	.90	1.60	.....	59.40	7.60	10.00	.....	5.00	.....	5.00	.....	9.00	....
Omaha (Kountze)	66.00	5.50	2.75	5.50	.....	89.30	6.66	10.00	.....	10.00	.....	13.10	6.00	9.00	....
Omaha (Metta Blair Circle)	10.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (St. Luke's)	20.30	2.00	.85	1.70	.....	57.00	10.60	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	8.00	....
Omaha (St. Mark's)	32.90	2.00	1.05	2.30	.....	90.00	19.75	80.00	.....	5.00	.....	20.00	.....	11.50	....
Omaha (St. Mark's Luther League)	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	....
Omaha (Redeemer)	9.80	.60	.....	.60	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	3.00	....
Ponca	14.80	2.00	.60	1.20	.....	14.86	3.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	....
Verdon	14.40	1.20	1.20	1.20	.....	30.00	7.00	.....	.....	1.00	1.40	2.70	2.00	4.50	....
Wolbach	18.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Transfer of Funds	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	....

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.....	$178.00	....	$11.00	$25.00	....	$5.00	$7.00	$3.00	$1.55	$1.15	$45.00	$5.00	$550.00	$37.50	$50.00	$2.00	$50.00	$1.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	$5525.32
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	$ 349.50	$ 24.80	$12.35	$20.10	.....	$ 464.56	$108.61	$160.00	.....	$ 35.50	$ 1.40	$ 80.05	$ 18.00	$ 79.00	....
Balances Brought Forward	.75	44.25	32.45	.....	5.95	5.36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.65	.....	.....	....
Totals	350.25	69.05	44.80	20.10	5.95	459.20	108.60	160.00	.....	35.50	1.40	80.70	18.00	79.00	....
Disbursements	350.00	40.00	10.81	20.00	.....	459.00	108.00	160.00	.....	35.50	1.00	80.00	18.00	79.00	....
Balances	.25	29.05	33.99	.10	5.95	.20	.61	.....	....	.....	.40	.70	.....	.....	....
LIGHT BRIGADES—															
Allen	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Beatrice	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Emerson	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.75	.....	10.00	.....	1.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Falls City	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Fremont	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.61	.....	10.00	.....	.....	12.00	2.00	.....	.....	....
Grand Island	7.38	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.62	.....	.....	.....	....
Hooper	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Lincoln (Grace)	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	20.00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Lincoln (St. James)	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
McCool Junction	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.21	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.08	.....	.....	.....	....
North Platte	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....	14.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (Castellar Mission)	1.87	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.13	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (Kountze)	1.77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (Metta Blair Circle)	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (St. Luke's)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Omaha (St. Mark's)	7.01	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00	5.00	10.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Ponca	9.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.73	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Rising City	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	2.00	30.00	25.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Tekamah	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.52	.....	10.00	.....	2.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Verdon	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.00	4.25	.....	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	....
Wayne	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.81	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Wilber	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Wolbach	6.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
York	1.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.07	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.43	.....	.....	.....	....
Transfer of Funds	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$ 108.53	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 168.33	$ 14.01	$110.00	$25.00	$ 17.00	$ 93.13	$ 2.00	.....	.....	....
Balances Brought Forward	32.	18.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.43	.....	.....	.....	....
Totals	108.85	18.10	.....	.....	.....	168.33	14.01	110.00	25.00	17.00	93.56	2.00	.....	.....	....
Disbursements	108.00	8.00	.....	.....	.....	168.00	14.00	110.00	25.00	17.00	93.00	2.00	.....	.....	....
Balances	.85	10.10	.....	.....	.....	.33	.01	.....	.....	.....	.56	.....	.....	.....	....
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS	$1418.28	$204.39	$53.65	$87.70	$ 9.65	$2210.08	$512.71	$770.00	$90.00	$195.50	$129.03	$176.45	$190.00	$397.00	....
Grand Total Balances Forward	2.04	88.23	75.95	.26	30.45	4.66	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.23	1.50	.....	5.00	....
Totals	1420.34	292.62	129.60	87.96	40.10	2205.42	512.71	770.00	90.00	195.50	157.26	177.95	190.00	402.00	....
Grand Total Disbursements	1419.00	181.29	35.81	87.00	.....	2204.00	512.00	770.00	90.00	195.50	155.80	177.00	190.00	402.00	....
Grand Total Balances	1.32	111.33	93.79	.96	40.10	1.42	.71	.. ..	....	.....	1.46	.95	.....	.....	....

*—Denotes Transer of Funds.

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	$ 37.00							$1.00		$5.00	$ 5.00						$ 50.00		$10.00	$10.00	$80.00			$1551.87
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	$216.00		$11.00	$25.00		$5.00	$7.00	$4.00	$1.55	$6.15	$50.00	$5.00	$550.00	$47.50	$50.00	$2.00	$100.00	$1.75	$10.00	$10.00	$80.00			$7626.19
		.20	1.00																					228.20
	216.00	.20	12.00	25.00		5.00	7.00	4.00	1.55	6.15	50.00	5.00	550.00	47.50	50.00	2.00	100.00	1.75	10.00	10.00	80.00			7854.39
	216.00		12.00	25.00		5.00	7.00	4.00	1.55	6.15	50.00	5.00	550.00	47.50	50.00	2.00	100.00	1.75	10.00	10.00	80.00			7602.35
																								252.04

Moved and seconded that all money received by the Synodical Treasurer, and designated "Synodical Fee Fund" shall be added to the Helen C. Beegle Fund and be used for that purpose for one year. Motion lost.

Report of Auditor given, and motion carried that same be received and placed on file.

Following reports of District Chairman were read and motion carried that they be received and referred to proper committees; Western, Mrs. F. E. Wood; Northeast, Mrs. C. P. Karriker; Southeast, Mrs. Mary E. Burkhart; Central, Mamie E. Adams; Fremont, Mrs. L. A. Hornburg, Sec'y pro tem; Omaha, Mrs. G. E. Hckman, Secretary by appontment; Lncoln, Mrs. L. A. Hornburg, Secretary pro tem.

Report of Board of Trustees read and Moton carried that same be received and referred to proper committee.

Report of Constitution held over for afternoon session (See combined report.

Session closed with prayer by Dr. W. I. Guss, Omaha.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Session opened with prayer by Rev. A. O. Frank.

Greetings from Synod, Rev. R. W. Livers.

The following reports were read and motion carried that same be referred to proper committee: Literature, Miss Suda Wood; Deaconess, Mrs. Mary Burkhart; Life and In Memoriam, Mrs. Geo. H. Haase; Annuity, Mrs. M. D. Willert; Industry, Mrs. H. C. Heckt; Standard of Excellence, Mrs. Carl Slagel; Young Women's Secretary, Miss Ruth Selheimer; Report of Young Women's Rally.

Election of Officers.

Final report of Tellers: President, Mrs. K. de Freese; Vice President, Mrs. L. A. Hornburg; Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. H. Haase; Recording Secretary, Mrs. E. F. Nelson; Statistical Secretary, Mrs. E. E. Shimonek.

Vocal solo by Mrs. F. J. Kotler, West Point.

Report of Committee on Daily Minutes, Mrs. E. P. Mumford. Motion carried to accept report and that proper corrections be made.

Following reports read and motion carried that same be received and referred to proper committees: Extension, Mrs. O. W. Ebright; Mission Study, Mrs. W. I. Guss; Thank Offering, Mrs. Elizabeth S. H. Neiswanger; Student Immigrant, Dorothea Mortensen; Magazine, Mrs. E. A. Van Fleet.

REPORT OF YOUNG WOMEN'S RALLY.

A rally of the Young Women's Missionary Societies of the State of Nebraska was held Saturday, Sept. 24th, at Midland College, Fremont, Nebraska.

Round Table was conducted by Mrs. V. P. Bell, of Grace Church, Omaha.

A sailing service was held for the missionaries who have just recently gone out; Miss Myrtle Wilkie to South America, Miss Mette Blair to India, and Miss Helene Harder to Japan.

Miss Adah Livingston, new Dean of Women, was introduced at this time, and conducted the visitors through the new Girl's Dormitory.

Dinner was served to 84 girls and women in the new College Dining Room. A short program followed the dinner, in charge of Miss Virginia Patterson.

The evening service was opened by Miss Dorothea Kruger, daughter of Dr. J. F. Krueger, who is now in charge of our Mission Field in China. Miss Krueger returned to this country in June.

Miss Ilda Schreifer and Miss Dorothy Wassum favored us with a vocal solo and piano solo. Miss Margaret Godel, president of Salem Young Women's Society, extended greetings to the visitors, to which Miss Myrtle Sorensen, president of Kountze Memorial Society responded. Mrs. L. A. Horngurg, Synodical President, brought greetings from the women of the state.

Miss Joanna Nowiezonki, who has been doing parish work in the Lutheran church in Sioux City, Iowa, presented Home Missions.

Miss Selma Anderson, on furlough from Rajahmundry, India, was the main speaker of the evening.

The announcement was made that Mrs. V. P. Bell, Omaha, had been appointed as a member of the Advisory Committee to prepare plans for the Young Women's Congress to be held next year in Johnstown, Pa. Offering received, $10.15. This is merely a start to a fund which will have to be raised for Mrs. Bell's expenses during the coming year.

We heartily recommend that a meeting of this kind be held next year, in order that the girls may gain insight and inspiration for the work they are doing.

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH SELHEIMER,
Young Women's Sec'y.

Final report of Tellers for delegates to Biennial Convention at Johnstown, Pennsylvania:

First Delegate—Mrs. K. DeFreese.
Second Delegate—Mrs. A. Schwerdtfeger.
Third Delegate—Miss Suda Wood.

Alternates.

First Alternate—Mrs. E. E. Shimonek
Second Alternate—Mrs. E. F. Nelson
Third Alternate—Mrs. H. C. Heckt.

Vocal solo "Shoulder to Shoulder," by Mrs. G. E. Hickman.

Report of Box Work, Mrs. John Lindahl.

Motion carried that recommendation 13, "That this Convention Box Work offering be assigned for purchasing supplies at Midland College" be adopted.

Offering, $181.00. Consecrated by Rev. R. W. Livers.

Light Brigade program and Demonstration by Mrs. O. L. Sturtevant. Motion carried that the Convention extend a vote of thanks to Mrs. O. L. Sturtevant for her splendid Light Brigade work.

Final presentation of Constitution for consideration. The Constitution was presented at two different times and changes classified. Classes "B" and "C" considered in the morning session and "A" and "D" in the afternoon session. The report of the Constitution Committee is herein inserted and action taken on each Article and Section as indicated therein. Motion carried to receive the report of the Constitution Committee as a whole and same placed in these minutes. Note—on action by Executive Board this report is not printed in these minutes but printing deferred until final action taken on Constitution.

Session closed with prayer by Miss Selma Anderson.

EVENING SESSION

Devotions conducted by Mrs. E. P. Mumford.

Life Membership Service, conducted by Mrs. Geo. H. Haase.

In Memoriam Service for Mrs. E. C. Cronk conducted by Mrs. N. L. Hansen.

Installation of newly elected officers by Rev. A. B. Schwerdtfeger.

Offering, Life In Memoriam Memberships, $460.00.

Evening Offering, $18.24.

Benediction, Rev. Thos. Rinde.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 29, 1927

Session opened with devotional service conducted by Mrs. C. H. B. Lewis of Fremont using Theme "Serve and Service."

Roll Call.

Greetings read from Miss Amelia D. Kemp.

Report of Committee on Officers Report read.

Motion carried to consider recommendations of committee seri-item.

Recommended that first seven recommendations be adopted. Carried. Number nine corrected to read "That we aim to increase our Lutheran Woman's Work Subscriptions until Nebraska reaches her goal—a subscription list equal to the active membership list in celebration of the twenty-first birthday of the Magazine in 1928." "That Lutheran Woman's Work Magazine parties be given in May." Carried.

Recommended that 10, 11, 12 (13 having been adopted on floor of Convention), and 14 be adopted. Carried. The 15th with the insertion of "retiring" between words "Congregational" and "Officers." Carried. Also 16, 17 and 18 be adopted. Carried.

Recommendation No. 8 not recommended by committee, but motion from floor of Convention carried that it be adopted.

Recommendation of Committee that such Congregational Society hold its annual election of Officers during the month of June, adopted.

Recommendation of Committee that Miss Anna Beckman be made a life member by this Convention, money to be taken from Synodical Fee Fund, adopted. (1)

Report adopted as a whole.

Report of Committee on Standing and Special Committees read and adopted. (2)

Adoption of report of Committee on Officers report reconsidered. No. 8 of President's recommendations recommended by Committee, adopted.

Report of Committee on Department Secretaries, read and adopted. (3)

Report of Committee on Letters and Papers, read and adopted. (4)

Report of Committee on Literature and Box Work, read and adopted. (5)

Report of Committee on Claims and Expenses read and adopted. (6)

Report of Committee on Resolutions read and adopted. (7)

Report of Committee on Protocol and Last Year's Minutes read and adopted. (8)

Motion carried to have minutes printed with the Minutes of Synod.

Motion carried to strike out of minutes motion made regarding completion of Mountain Mission Special fund.

Equalization Committee reported average of $6.83. Motion carried to refer report back to committee for further consideration.

Report of Convention Box Work, $181.00.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Miller of Allen introduced to Convention.

Rev. Geo. Mortensen of South Sioux City, and Rev. W. H. Saas, of Dakota City, introduced.

Miss Selma Anderson gave exhibit of India articles.

Corrected report of Equalization Committee received and adopted. (9)

Motion carried that the Constitution Committee be granted the privilege of striking out words where by so doing the meaning will not be changed, and also to send them a complete copy of the minutes of this convention.

Report of Committee on Daily Minutes read and adopted.

Motion carried that the Executive Board act on Minutes of last day's session.

Formal closing of convention.

Closed with prayer by Rev. J. C. Miller.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. F. PATTON, Assist. Recording Sec'y.

On account of duplicate copies of all reports of Officers, Department Secretaries and District Presidents having been made and in hands of all Congregational Societies. They are omitted from these minutes, with exceptance of the President's recommendations. With these exceptions I hereby vouch for the correctness of these minutes.

MRS. L. A. HORNBURG, President.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS' REPORTS.

We commend our President for the time and thought she has so freely given in making this year such a splendid year in the work of our Master, and commend the bulletin system she uses.

We note with gratitude the new Societies organized and pray for their growth and success.

We recommend the adoption of the first seven recommendations, the ninth corrected to read "that we aim to increase our Lutheran Woman's Work subscription until Nebraska reacher her goal—a subscription list equal to the active membership list, in celebration of the 21st birthday of themagazine in 1928, that Lutheran Woman's Work parties be given in May. The tenth, eleventh and twelfth (the thirteenth being adopted on the floor of convention); the fourteenth, fifteenth with insertion of "retiring" between words Congregational and Officers; the sixteenth and seventeenth. We recommend the adoption of the eighteenth recommendation.

The eighth recommendation we fail to recommend as we feel the convention business requires all the time allotted to convention at present and still keeps growing.

The Statistical Secretary reports a decrease in membership which we greatly deplore and we recommend your prayerful co-operation to increase the interest of our women, in the cause of missions.

We commend our Treasurer on her very efficient report.

We recommend that each congregational society hold their annual election during the month of June.

We recommend that Miss Anna Beckman be made a Life Member by this convention to show in a measure our appreciation of her work in assisting our officers with the duplicating work in preparing the bulletin and reports.

Respectfully submitted.
MRS. P. C. HILLEGASS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STANDING AND SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

We have examined the reports of all District Chairmen and find that nearly all have effected permanent organizations, which we believe will result in better work and greater interest.

The report of Midland Assembly was very favorable in the matter of a very strong program, but we do regret to note that so few people availed themselves of this wonderful opportunity. We suggest that wider publicity be given Midland Assembly in the future.

Report of the Golden Jubilee Committee shows that Nebraska failed to reach her goal the past year. This will mean more work in order to reach our goal and make up this deficit during the coming year.

The report of the Constitution Committee was adopted by the convention and placed on file.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. JOHN LINDAHL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES.

MISSION STUDY—We are glad to note that though the increase is not so large, there has been a gain in most of the departments of Mission Study work; the most commendable is the increase of 33 women reported as 100% members.

LIGHT BRIGADE—Had it not been for a decreased membership in just one department the Light Brigade work would have shown a material increase in membership. An increase was made in contributions, due largely to India Lace Work, and Life Membership and In Memoriam.

THE MAGAZINE—The secretary has a very good report in that it has such bright prospects for the coming year, making a firm basis to work on, with the result we are sure that the work will show a great gain this coming year. A magazine shower during convention resulted in 74 subscriptions, 61 new and 13 renewals.

EXTENSION WORK—The extension work has much to offer in the splendid report given and this committee recommends that the delegates of this Convention go back to their homes with the possibilities of future work along this line, impress strongly upon their hearts and minds with a firm resolve to do their uttermost to make it a stronger department and a more successful one.

YOUNG WOMEN'S—With three new societies to report this past year and its other work carried out regularly and in order, we recommend that this be an index to the work for the coming year and that more stress be placed on the organizing of Young Women's Societies.

STAND OF EXCELLENCE—With 3 Women's and 1 Young Women's Society and 2 Light Brigades reported as 100% together with several on the honor roll, it should be an incentive for every society in the state to firmly resolve to do the same this coming year, stopping at nothing until such a goal is reached.

DEACONESS—We endorse the work and appeal of the Deaconess Secretary as given in her report and recommend that this be given more time and attention in the meeting the coming year.

IMMIGRATION AND STUDENT—This is a very important work, in that our young people should have Christian care and supervision after leaving the protection and guidance of the Home, and any help this department can give will no doubt keep them faithful and true to their early Christian training and through their influence be able to bring more souls to Christ.

MRS. A. T. YOST.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LETTERS AND PAPERS.

Your committee on Letters and Papers would offer the following report.

1. The President's address, "The Mary's and Martha's of the World" is a splendid message to the women of our societies; stressing the thought of more time to be given to the Spiritual rather than the material things of life.

2. We acknowledge with appreciation the letters of greetings from our General President, Mrs. W. F. Morehead and Secretary of the Executive Board, Miss Amelia D. Kemp.

3. We urge your attention to the recommendation of our General Magazine Secretary, Mrs. Louise Krechting, that we individually give more effort to making possible the realization of our goal for the Twenty-first Anniversary of our Magazine.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. M. D. WILLERT.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LITERATURE AND BOX WORK.

We are pleased to note an increase over last year's literature report and urge you to continue your splendid co-operation with the Literature Secretary. We are gratified to note that our Literature and Missionary Work is considered the best in the United States.

While we notice a small decrease in the Box Work, we feel that much more interest is being manifested by the splendid display at this Convention, and we recommend that each Society strive earnestly to increase this work of love in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. O. A. WICKERT.

CLAIMS COMMITTEE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING.

Convention Expense	$ .80
Desk Expense—President	13.85
Desk Expense—Vice President	1.00
Desk Expense—Recording Secretary	5.68
Desk Expense—Statistical Secretary	1.50
Desk Expense—Treasurer	11.16
Desk Expense—Light Brigade Secretary	9.00

Desk Expense—Young Women's Secretary	9.16
Desk Expense—Industrial Secretary	1.09
Desk Expense—Box Work Secretary	1.00
Desk Expense—Annuity Secretary	.70
Desk Expense—Literature Secretary	1.70
Desk Expense—Magazine Secretary	1.00
Desk Expense—Thank Offering Secretary	2.50
Desek Expense—Life and In Memoriam Secretary	6.00
Railroad Fare—President	2.64
Railroad Fare—Vice President	6.12
Railroad Fare—Recording Secretary	3.28
Railroad Fare—Literature Secretary	3.00
Bus Fare—Young Women's Secretary	2.00
Railroad Fare—Statistical Secretary	8.75
Railroad Fare—Industrial Secretary	.75
	$92.68

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. W. W. COUGHTRY.

REPORT OF RESOLUTION COMMITTEE.

Our Heavenly Father has been gracious to us in permitting us to gather together in our 47th Annual Convention of the Women's Missionary Society of the State of Nebraska, and we give thanks for His protection and guidance.

Therefore, be it resolved that we give thanks

First: :To our retiring President, Mrs. Hornburg, for her untiring efforts and efficient management, and to other officers and committees, and department secretaries, who have helped to make our Convention a success.

Second: :To the women of the Aid Society and members of the Missionary who have been most delightful hostesses.

Third: To Rev. Frank and Rev. Linde, who administered the Lord's Supper, and to other ministers whose words and presences have been a help and inspiration to us.

Fourth: For our missionaries from India, Miss Selma Anderson, Rev. and Mrs. Schwerdtfeger, and Rev. and Mrs. Raun, for the splendid and inspiring program, "A Night in India."

Fifth: To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Springer for the programs and stationery they have furnished for so many years.

Sixth: To Miss Anna Beckman for services rendered in duplicating bulletins.

Seventh: To Mrs. Haase and her assistants who so ably presented the Life and In Memorial Service.

Eighth: To those who contributed of their time and talent to make our programs more entertaining and instructive.

Ninth: To our incoming President, Mrs. K. de Freese, and those who assisted in the enjoyable and instructive supper program.

Tenth: That we send a copy of these resolutions to the President of the local Missionary Society, to the Pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, and record a copy in the minutes of the 47th Convention.

Eleventh: Be it further Resolved: That our prayers go out for Rev. Klink, pastor Loci, who has been in ill health so long, and we pray God's blessing on him and family.

Twelfth: That we ask God's blessing for our work for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. K. DeFREESE.

REPORT OF PROTOCOL COMMITTEE.

Having carefully read and examined the record of the Forty-sixth Annual Convention of the Women's Missionary Society of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Nebraska, of the United Lutheran Church in America, we submit the following report.

As a whole the record is very good and interesting.

A few corrections should be made, as follows:

Page 75—Stanford should be Stamford.

Page 77—Omaha Redeemer, Miss Barbara Fair, Young Woman's delegate, appears in Printed Minutes, but not in Protocol.

Page 77—Repetition of "Miss" in line 18.

Page 77—Wilbach should be Walbach.

Page 78—In Report of Synodical Mountain Mission Secretary, Minutes report in line 3, 26 Societies and 52½ shares, while the Protocol reports 28 Societies and 56½ shares.

Page 80—In report of S. E. District, line 6, in Minutes reads "What the Women's Missionary Means to the Local Church." Should read "Women's Missionary Society." In next line should read "Falls City Society," not "the ladies from Falls City."

Page 83—Line 14, Wolbach is omitted in the printed Minutes in reporting Young Women's Societies.

Pages 84 and 105 and perhaps other places "Tabitha" has been misspelled "Tabetha."

Page 88—In the note after "Balances" in the Treasurer's Report, after "of about 12%" the Minutes give it ($841.98) while Protocol is correct, giving it ($841.57.)

Page 90—An error occurs in the General Fund of Omaha Church of Our Redeemer. Should be $44.40, not $44.44.

Page 92—Under "Convention Committees," we find the following mistakes in Minutes: In "Registration Committee," Mrs. F. W. Rottman's name is omitted; in "Department Secretaries," Mrs. A. Oelting should be Mrs. A. Oetting; in "Letters and Papers," Mrs. Gus Prestegaard should be

Mrs. Milton Lambert: In "Literature and Box Work," Literature is omitted; as "Pages" Miss Fern Mielle appears in the Minutes, and Mrs. Mamie Lipe in the Protocol.

Page 93—Income instead of incorporation tax.

Page 95—Total in line 6 should read $404.23, not $505.23.

Page 97—In report of sales of India Lace, Nebraska City, $22.07 is omitted in Minutes.

Page 99—In Mission Study Report "Reading Classes" should be "Reading Circles."

Page 100—Report of Extension Department Secretary is very different from the one in the Protocol.

Page 103—In Minutes $211.00 is reported for Convention Box Work, while only $205.50 is reported in Protocol.

Page 103—In report of "Resolutions Committee" occurs an omission in the Fourth Resolution. It should read "To Miss Metta K. Blair for her inspirational address on India, and to Mrs. H. D. Hoover for her message of loyalty to the Mission cause."

Page 104—Mrs. L. B. Ludden should be Mrs. L. P. Ludden.

Page 106—It would look more neat if last line of report had also been printed above "Respectfully sumbitted" instead of below.

Page 108—Word and pastors be inserted (Trustees Report). Income tax be changed to Incorporation Tax.

Page 110—Industrial Secretary reported sale of approximately $65.00 in Protocol and in the Minutes the report is $74.64. Possibly a later report.

We find that in many instances words and paragraphs have been omitted or changed, no doubt for sake of condensing. It seems too bad to omit some of the things that have been omitted, as the number of Societies represented at District Conference, Etc.

Visitors from the German Societies are reported as they should be, but none from our our own Churches or Societies. Perhaps none were there to be reported. If any were there, they should be reported.

Last in our report, but not least. We think that mention should have been made in the printed Minutes, that our Synodical Society was born in PONCA in 1880, so the Mother invites her Children home for the GOLDEN JUBILEE in 1930, and not just that the "Invitation to meet in Ponca on the Fiftieth Jubilee Convention accepted."

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. E. BOLLMAN.

REPORT OF EQUALIZATION COMMITTEE.

The committee on equalization on delegates' traveling expenses find an average of $6.89, and eleven delegates entitled to payment of funds amounting to $49.85.

Finding the Treasurer has $93.79 in Synodical Travel Fund, we recommend the payment of the following:

1.	Mrs. E. H. Allen	$ .46
2.	Mrs. John Lindahl	.46
3.	Mrs. Gus Newman	3.51
4.	Mrs. Loy Ebright	13.15
5.	Mrs. A. T. Yost	13.15
6.	Mrs. T. V. Austin	13.15
7.	Mrs. Harry Mattison	2.11
8.	Miss Edna Conrad	2.11
9.	Mrs. Joseph Vrbsky	.06
10.	Mrs. Lad J. Skocpol	.06
11.	Mrs. Fred Weigman	1.63
Total		$49.85

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. GEO. H. HAASE,
Treasurer.